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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

OFFICERS

OF THE


TOWN of CANTON

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEB. 20,

1910

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TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor:

M. A. WAITE, S. B. ELLIS, ELLIS DELANO.

Clerk,

GEO. L. WADLIN.

Treasurer,

GEO. L. WADLIN.

Collector,

JOHN BRIGGS.

School Committee,

A. J. BARRETT, J. H. DAILEY, F. W. MORSE.

Superintendent of Schools,

J. W. TAYLOR.

Board of Health:

W. L. ROBERTS, R. E. McCOLLISTER, JOHN BRIGGS.

Report of Selectmen.

VALUATION REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE AND NUMBER OF POLLS.

Real estate, resident,	\$172,155 00
Real estate, non-resident,	63,850 00
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Total Real Estate,	\$235,985 00
Personal estate, resident,	\$64,985 00
Personal estate, non-resident,	6,825 00
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Total,	\$71,810 00
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Total property to be taxed,	\$307,795 00
Number of polls taxed, 300.	
Number of polls not taxed, 22.	
Poll tax, \$3.00. Rate of taxation, .036	

APPROPRIATED AND ASSESSED.

State tax,	\$1,057 14
County tax,	544 58
Common schools,	1,600 00
Text books,	200 00
Repairs,	250 00
Insurance,	100 00
School supplies,	50 00
Town charges and interest,	5,000 00
Repairs of roads and bridges,	1,500 00
Breaking roads,	500 00

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Free high school,	300 00
Memorial day,	15 00
Repair of sidewalks,	25 00
State road,	58 50
Fire Co.,	25 00
Finishing new schoolroom,	400 00
Supplementary tax,	3 00
Overlay apportioned,	355 40

Total commitment to collector,	<hr/> \$11,983 62
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RECEIPTS OF TOWN FARM.

S. T. HAYDEN, OVERSEER.

Received for cream,	\$171 59
Calves sold,	54 41
Syrup sold,	9 90
Hog sold,	21 25
Apples sold,	187 08
Cow sold,	40 00
Difference between cow,	9 00
Oxen sold,	140 00
Hens sold,	19 25
Sweet corn sold,	75 92
Eggs sold,	3 10
Wool sold,	3 60
Lamb sold,	4 25
Breaking roads,	16 15
Labor on highway,	8 00
Merchandise,	20 15
Horse sold,	50 00
Breaking roads,	6 60

Total,	<hr/> \$840 25
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AMOUNT EXPENDED.

A. F. and A. A. Russell, flour and grain,	\$153 56
M. G. Strout,	86 94
Geo. L. Wadlin & Co.,	54 34
G. H. Virgin, beef,	5 88
L. Kilbreth, pigs,	6 00
M. C. R. R., freight,	80
Geo. Child, seed corn,	1 00
W. A. Stuart & Co.,	3 97
C. F. Oldham, shingles,	28 40
F. H. & C. C. Plummer, insurance,	8 50
M. E. Gilbert, lime,	1 45
Standard Fertilizer Co.,	12 95
A. G. Rich, plowing,	16 80
E. E. Paine, beef,	6 48
N. Reynolds,	6 03
M. A. Waite, fertilizer,	9 00
S. B. Ellis, supplies,	4 68
C. E. Worden, supplies,	14 47
A. S. Dresser, pasturing oxen,	8 00
H. D. Bean, apple barrels,	18 99
E. B. Cooledge, bull service,	2 00
M. A. Waite, bull service,	8 00
John Briggs, blacksmithing,	16 05
A. H. Adams, seed potatoes for the year 1908,	3 50
A. H. Adams, fertilizer,	4 50
S. T. Hayden, overseer's salary,	275 00
B. C. Waite, pigs,	6 00
W. L. Roberts, chair,	95
J. S. Barker, supplies,	3 18
M. A. Waite, hauling apples,	6 25
S. T. Hayden, supplies,	10 30

 \$783 97

TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.

6 cows,	\$180 00	
1 two-year-old heifer,	15 00	
2 sheep,	10 00	
2 hogs,	25 00	
45 hens,	33 75	
260 pounds pork,	40 00	
10 bushels corn,	5 00	
1 and one-half bushels beans,	4 50	
33 barrels,	10 00	
3 M. lumber,	45 00	
1 barrel lime,	1 45	
75 bushels potatoes,	30 00	
Groceries,	8 00	
12 cords wood,	30 00	
100 sap buckets,	10 00	
50 pounds nails,	1 50	
10 pounds staples,	30	
1 bushel salt,	50	
12 tons hay,	180 00	
Cream separator,	47 50	
Household furniture,	103 00	
Farming tools,	250 00	
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Total,		\$1,030 50
Value of farm,		1,800 00
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Total value of farm, stock, household goods and farming tools,		\$2,830 50
Total value of farm, stock, household goods and farming tools, Feb. 20th, 1909,		\$2,940 50
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Decrease,		\$110 00

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Receipts of farm,	\$840 25	
Amount expended,	783 97	
	<hr/>	\$58 25
Balance against farm,		\$51 75
Inmate, Frank Bryant.		

PAID FOR SUPPORT OF POOR OFF THE FARM.

J. B. Crocker,	\$ 4 26	
Elmer York,	6 50	
Rolla Hines, rent for 1908,	3 00	
Frank Bryant,	33 50	
Curtis Capen,	19 09	
Mrs. J. O. Gammon,	97 75	
Roscoe Willey,	17 25	
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Total,		\$181 35
Received from town of Sumner, on account of J. B. Crocker,	4 26	
From town of Hartford, on account of Elmer York,	6 50	
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		\$10 76
Total pauper expense,		\$170 59

SNOW BILLS.

E. E. Caldwell,	\$49 00
C. L. Hines,	3 85
E. I. Waite,	10 67
C. B. Gammon,	2 30
Ernest Bryant,	16 85
G. H. Strout,	8 80
B. D. Packard,	17 18
I. A. Ellis,	4 25

Peter Castongnay,	13 85
Wilson Dearborn,	5 56
F. H. Stone,	39 60
Guy Rich,	2 00
C. B. and S. M. Foster,	6 19
P. A. Foster,	4 70
A. L. Hodge,	25 30
Frank Hodge,	1 83
A. F. Campbell,	54 87
W. W. Rose,	12 76
A. G. Rich,	9 53
W. M. Andrews,	5 15
A. G. Rich,	17 35
Merton Ellis,	1 25
S. T. Hayden,	16 15
H. L. Worden,	2 00
O. D. Hodge,	1 75
C. F. Tripp,	8 50
C. B. and S. M. Foster,	25 07
P. A. Foster,	18 30
Charles Decker,	5 95
S. T. Hayden,	6 60
Geo. Pitman,	5 00
R. E. McCollister,	15 00
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Total,	\$417 16

A. A. EASTMAN,

Road Commissioner.

LABOR ON HIGHWAY.

I. A. Ellis,	\$ 1 55
H. W. Childs,	14 75
S. A. Childs,	1 75
H. W. Childs,	15 75
R. D. Willey,	8 75
A. A. Eastman,	40 00

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H. W. Childs,	26 25
S. A. Childs,	8 75
E. G. Bisbee,	16 00
E. E. Caldwell,	100 00
H. W. Childs,	32 90
E. E. Caldwell,	62 29
E. G. Bisbee,	9 75
S. A. Childs,	10 50
Ellis Delano,	48 00
E. G. Bisbee,	20 00
H. W. Childs,	25 37
H. E. Hall,	12 00
A. F. Campbell,	192 00
F. A. Dodge,	3 00
W. N. Reed,	46 20
G. L. Wadlin Co.,	24 14
John Briggs,	13 73
W. F. Stanley,	6 00
Ernest Drake,	1 75
C. Alden,	2 00
Canton Bridge Co.,	7 00
W. E. Wilder,	6 50
Robain Arsenault,	33 00
M. B. Packard,	16 50
H. W. Childs,	2 50
A. J. Dailey,	3 00
G. H. Virgin,	5 07
A. A. Eastman,	50 00
A. A. Eastman,	100 00
H. W. Childs,	13 12
I. L. Harmon,	3 50
S. A. Childs,	4 38
M. B. Packard,	6 25
A. F. Campbell.	65 50
C. L. Small,	7 00
A. A. Eastman,	100 00

TOWN REPORT.

E. G. Bisbee,	1 75	
Peter Castongnay,	48 75	
H. W. Childs,	9 62	
F. H. Stone,	6 00	
A. A. Eastman,	60 00	
Amos Alden,	3 00	
Geo. Barrows,	1 75	
B. C. Waite,	22 00	
S. T. Hayden,	8 00	
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Total,		\$1,327 37

SIDEWALK ACCOUNT.

Wm. Reed,	\$ 7 25	
H. W. Childs,	5 25	
A. A. Eastman,	11 75	
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Total,		\$24 25
	A. A. EASTMAN,	
	Road Commissioner.	

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriated,	\$1,500 00	
Set aside for State road,	117 00	
Overdrawn last year,	9 01	
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Amount available,		\$1,373 99
Orders drawn,		1,327 37
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Balance unexpended,		\$ 46 62

SIDEWALK ACCOUNT.

Appropriated,	\$25 00	
Balance unexpended Feb. 20th, 1909,	11 82	
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Amount available,		\$36 82
Orders drawn,		24 25
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Balance unexpended Feb. 20th, 1910,		\$12 57

SNOW BILLS.

Appropriated,	\$500 00	
Overdrawn; Feb. 20th, 1909,	208 19	
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Amount available,		\$291 81
Orders drawn,		417 16
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Overdrawn, Feb. 20th, 1910,		\$125 35

STATE ROAD.

Appropriated,	\$ 58 50	
Received from State,	219 37	
Set aside from highway,	117 00	
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Amount available,		\$394 87
Orders drawn,		394 87
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriated,	\$25 00	
Balance unexpended,	6 95	
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Amount available,		\$31 95
Orders drawn,		25 00
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Balance unexpended,		\$6 95

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Appropriated,	\$1,600 00
Balance unexpended. Feb. 20th, 1909,	510 77
State and mill tax,	1,256 69
Received from sale of seats,	6 00
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Total,	\$3,373 46
Orders drawn,	2,950 65
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Balance unexpended,	\$422 81

TEXT BOOKS.

Appropriated,	\$200 00
Balance unexpended Feb. 20th, 1909,	105 15
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	\$305 15
Due from sale of books,	9 36
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Total,	\$314 51
Orders drawn,	299 77
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Balance undrawn,	\$14 74

REPAIRS ON SCHOOLHOUSES.

Appropriated,	\$250 00
Balance unexpended Feb. 20th, 1909,	50 35
Sale of schoolhouse,	15 00
Rent of school grounds,	4 00
Sale of shingles,	2 75
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Total,	\$322 10
Orders drawn,	316 48
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Balance unexpended,	\$5 62

NEW SCHOOL ROOM ACCOUNT.

Appropriated,	\$400 00	
Orders drawn,	416 22	
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Overdrawn Feb. 20th, 1910,		\$16 22

SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Appropriated,	\$50 00	
Balance unexpended Feb. 20th, 1909,	6 04	
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Total,		\$56 04
Orders drawn,		55 31
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Balance unexpended,		\$ 73

INSURANCE.

Appropriated,	\$100 00	
Orders drawn,	93 00	
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Balance undrawn,		\$7 00

HIGH SCHOOL.

Appropriated,	\$300 00	
Balance unexpended Feb. 20th, 1909,	147 89	
Received from State,	250 00	
Tuition,	37 81	
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Total,		\$735 70
Orders drawn,		636 32
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Balance undrawn,		\$99 38

AMOUNT DUE ON BILLS OF 1905.

Adkins, Dora L.,	\$12 00	
Dulpe, Peter,	3 00	
Bassett, W.,	3 00	
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Total,		\$18 00

AMOUNT DUE ON BILLS OF 1906.

Adkins, Dora L.,	\$14 00	
Arsenault, Pat,	3 00	
Burnham, H. R.,	3 00	
Barker, Belmont,	8 78	
Nally, Wm.,	3 00	
Ladd, E. P., Estate of,	4 20	
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Total,		\$35 98

AMOUNT DUE ON BILLS OF 1907.**A. F. RUSSELL, COLLECTOR.**

Adkins, Dora L.,	14 40
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AMOUNT DUE ON BILLS OF 1908.

Adkins, Dora L.,	\$12 80	
Arsenault, Pat,	3 00	
Brown, W. J.,	3 00	
Griffin, Thomas,	3 00	
Legere, Frank,	3 00	
Poland, Ellery, E.,	3 00	
York, Greenville,	3 00	
Johnson, J. M.,	3 68	
Niles, Silas,	3 20	
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Total,		\$37 68

AMOUNT DUE ON BILLS OF 1909.**JOHN BRIGGS, COLLECTOR.**

Adkins, Dora L.,	\$ 9 80
Blanchard, Mrs. Georgie,	11 60
Gilbert, Mrs. Mary E.,	61 08
Ellis, Willie E.,	3 00
Fuller, Ralph,	3 00
Hodgdon, V. F.,	32 50
Knapp, Wm.,	3 00
Legere, Frank,	3 00
Leclair, J. M.,	3 00
Martin, John,	3 00
Nalley, W. J.,	3 00
Matthews, Charles,	1 00
Wright, W. J.,	3 00

Total,	\$139 98
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Of the above list of unpaid taxes, the following have been sued.

Mrs. Georgie Blanchard, tax amounting to	\$11 60
Mrs. Mary E. Gilbert, tax amounting to	61 08
V. F. Hodgdon, tax amounting to	32 50

ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1904.

Gatchell, J. T.,	\$ 3 74
Wetmore, Charles,	10 00
Marchaehey, Joseph,	3 00
Marchaehey, Mike,	3 00

Total,	\$19 74
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ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1905.

Eastman, Albert A.,	\$4 50	
Wetmore, Charles,	3 00	
Marchaehey, Mike,	3 00	
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Total,		\$10 50

ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1906.

R. H. Burnham,	\$10 52	
Rich, Merton,	3 00	
Wetmore,	3 00	
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Total,		\$16 52

ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1907.**A. F. RUSSELL, COLLECTOR.**

Blaisdell, Herbert, never found,	\$3 00	
Gillen, James, never found,	3 00	
Hart, Stanley N., left State,	3 00	
Jones, John, left State,	3 00	
Paller, F. E., paid in Dixfield,	3 90	

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ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1908.

Crocker, J. B., poor,	\$3 00	
Day, W. L., not of age,	3 00	
Hines, Rolla, poor,	3 00	
Jacobs, A. H., paid in Hartford,	3 00	
Martin, Lee, paid in Livermore,	3 00	
Michaude, Lewis, left State,	3 00	

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ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1909.**JOHN BRIGGS, COLLECTOR.**

Capen, Curtis L., poor,	\$3 00
Crocker, J. B., poor,	3 00
Bartlett, W. C., dead,	3 00
Johnson, O. E. B., paid in Poland,	3 00
Stubbs, S. G., disabled,	3 00
Stubbs, Floyd, disabled,	3 00
Willey, R. S., poor,	3 00
Italians,	12 00
Martin, J. H., paid in Livermore,	1 08
York, E. H., poor,	3 00

37.08**MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.**

O. M. Richardson, Fire Co.,	\$ 25 00
R. A. Barrows, making oaths,	3 00
R. Swett, treasurer G. A. R.,	15 00
S. B. Ellis, carpet for office,	17 00
C. A. Coolidge, births and deaths,	4 25
F. E. Bicknell, agent, use of hall,	10 00
Canton Bridge Co., toll for high school,	20 00
E. C. Bowler, printing reports,	26 40
C. R. Swett, painting auto signs,	6 00
C. F. Oldham, making auto signs,	1 25
C. R. Swett, setting glass in Lock-up,	1 07
S. A. Childs, care of Wardwell lot,	4 00
L. W. Smith Co., by vote of town,	7 74
N. Reynolds, supplies,	8 60
N. Reynolds, supplies for Board of Health.	5 24
M. A. Waite, expense to Rumford, to meet State Assessors,	3 86
B. C. Waite, interest on school fund,	61 28
F. W. Merritt, births and deaths,	50
C. D. North, births and deaths,	3 75
F. W. Morse, births and deaths,	6 50

B. C. Waite, treasurer and trustee school fund,	9 00
A. F. Russell, abttements on bills of 1907,	15 90
A. F. Russell, abatements on bills of 190 8 , ^f	15 00
John Briggs, abatements on bills of 1909,	37 08
F. W. Morse, births and deaths,	6 50
F. R. Dyer, expense on McFadden tax,	17 87
Geo. L. Wadlin, abatements, 1904-5-6,	46 76
M. A. Waite, expense to Westbrook,	22 61
S. B. Ellis, expense to Westbrook,	2 50
J. W. Thompson, office rent,	18 00
Total,	<hr/> \$424 66

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS.

R. A. Barrows, truant officer for 1908,	\$ 5 00
A. G. Barrett, member of school board,	7 50
F. W. Morse, member of school board,	10 00
J. H. Dailey,	10 00
Geo. L. Wadlin,	2 50
J. W. Taylor, superintendent of schools,	122 22
J. N. Foye, truant officer,	10 00
A. F. Russell, collecting taxes of 1907-1908,	14 20
John Briggs, collecting taxes of 1909,	176 71
Geo. L. Wadlin, clerk and treasurer,	135 00
S. B. Ellis, selectman,	125 00
M. A. Waite, selectman,	125 00
Ellis Delano, selectman,	50 00
Total,	<hr/> \$793 13

**TOTAL EXPENSE OF TOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING
FEB. 20TH, 1910.**

Miscellaneous bills,	\$ 436 66
Snow bills,	417 16
Roads and bridges,	1,327 37

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Sidewalk,	24 25
State road,	175 50
Fire department,	25 00
Common schools,	2,950 65
Text books,	299 77
Repairs,	316 48
School supplies,	51 31
Insurance,	93 00
High school,	636 32
New school room,	416 22
Pauper expenses,	170 59
Paid coupons,	403 87
Interest on town order,	61 28
Expended for town farm,	783 97
Town officers' bills,	793 13
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Total,	\$9,381 53

LIABILITIES OF TOWN.

Interest bearing town order,	\$1,021 33
4 per cent. R. R. Aid Bonds,	5,500 00
3½ per cent. loan certificates,	1,825 00
3 per cent. loan certificates,	700 00
Interest on same,	30 00
Bills due and unpaid,	80 00
Unpaid orders,	955 79
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Total,	\$10,112 12

RESOURCES OF TOWN.

Cash in treasury,	\$2,489 18
Resident tax deeds,	289 23
Non-resident tax deeds,	119 59
Amount due on bills, 1905,	18 00
Amount due on bills, 1906,	35 98

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Amount due on bills, 1907,	14 40
Amount due on bills, 1908,	37 68
Amount due on bills, 1909,	139 98
Eleven shares West End R. R. stock,	1,000 00
Interest on same,	13 00
Due on J. B. Crocker note,	53 00
Due from E. E. Cushman on account of Ralph E. Cushman,	38 00
Town farm, stock, household furniture and farming tools,	2,830 50

Total, \$7,078 54

The following bonds have been paid:

R. R. Aid Bond 4 per cent. No. 4,	\$500 00
R. R. Aid Bond 4 per cent. No. 5,	500 00
R. R. Aid Bond 4 per cent. No. 6,	500 00
R. R. Aid Bond 4 per cent. No. 7,	500 00
R. R. Aid Bond 4 per cent. No. 9,	500 00
Loan Certificate No. 117,	900 00

Total, \$3,400 00

Total interest bearing indebtedness Feb.

20th, 1909, \$12,446 33

Reduction in interest bearing indebted-
ness,

3,400 00

Total interest bearing indebtedness, \$9,046 33

STANDING OF THE TOWN, FEB. 20, 1910.

Liabilities,	\$10,112 12
Resources,	7,078 54

Net indebtedness Feb. 20th, 1910, \$3,033 58

Respectfully submitted,

M. A. WAITE,

S. B. ELLIS,

ELLIS DELANO,

Selectmen of Canton.

Treasurer's Account.

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1909.

Feb. 18, to balance in First National Bank,	\$ 99 01
Feb. 18, to balance in Rumford National Bank,	232 58
Feb. 18, to balance due 1904-5-6 taxes,	182 37
Feb. 18, to balance due on resident deeds,	297 99
Feb. 18, to balance due on non-resident deeds,	127 83
Feb. 18, to balance due on 1907 taxes,	33 30
Feb. 18, to balance due on 1908 taxes,	738 44
Feb. 18, to 11 shares of West End R. R. Stock,	1,000 00
Feb. 18, to balance due from State treasurer on pensions,	66 00
Feb. 18, to cash in hands of treasurer,	802 29
March 27, to cash from State account of free high schools,	250 00
March 30, to cash from farm, breaking roads acct.,	6 60
April 1, to cash from S. A. div. R. R. stock,	19 25
April 6, to cash from sale of syrup, town farm,	1 25
April 7, to cash from town of Peru, tuition,	27 63
April 19, to cash from sale of syrup, town farm,	5 25
April 21, to cash from refunded dog tax,	84 35
May 3, to commitment for 1909,	11,980 62
May 3, to supplementary tax,	3 00
May 4, to cash from sale of Coolidge schoolhouse,	15 00
May 8, to cash from sale of calf, town farm,	8 32
May 10, to cash from sale of hog, town farm,	21 25

May 10, to cash from sale of syrup, town farm,	1 00
May 18, to cash from State, acct. of State paupers,	42 90
May 25, to cash from town farm, sale of calf,	8 82
May 28, to cash loan from R. N. Bank,	1,000 00
June 3, to cash from sale of calf, town farm,	7 03
June 15, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	4 27
July 13, to cash from rent of school grounds,	4 00
July 15, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	17 00
July 17, to cash from State, free high schools,	101 08
July 21, to cash from sale of shingles,	2 75
July 31, to cash from sale of three calves,	26 24
Aug. 17, to cash from town of Peru, tuition,	10 18
Aug. 18, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	22 34
Aug. 20, to cash from sale of cow, town farm,	40 00
Aug. 20, to check from town of Livermore, Crocker account,	4 26
Sept. 16, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	31 11
Oct. 1, to semi-annual dividend W. E. R. R. Stock,	19 25
Oct. 12, to cash from Frank Andrews on note for horse,	10 00
Oct. 15, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	24 42
Oct. 18, to cash from sale of apples, town farm,	25 00
Oct. 27, to cash from corn check, town farm,	75 92
Nov. 1, to cash from town clerk on acct. dog licenses,	112 00
Nov. 13, to cash from sale of apples, town farm,	9 78
Nov. 15, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	20 69
Nov. 22, to cash, difference on cows, town farm,	9 00
Dec. 8, to cash from State, on account of State road,	219 37
Dec. 9, to cash from town of Hartford, E. H. York account,	6 50
Dec. 18, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	24 08
Dec. 18, to cash from sale of oxen, town farm,	140 00
Dec. 21, to cash from Frank Andrews, on note for horse,	20 00
1910.	
Jan, 13, to cash from town of Livermore, Crocker account,	4 26

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Jan. 15, to cash from school and mill fund,	1,256 69
Jan. 18, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	9 84
Jan. 24, to cash from State for free high school,	148 92
Jan. 27, to cash from State on acct. of pensions paid,	72 00
Jan. 29, to cash from sale of hens, town farm,	10 00
Feb. 1, to cash from sale of apples, town farm,	151 75
Feb. 3, to cash from sale of hens, town farm,	7 00
Feb. 3, to cash from Frank Andrews on note for horse,	10 00
Feb. 5, to cash from sale of sleds,	6 00
Feb. 5, to cash from B. C. Waite, interest on school fund,	61 28
Feb. 14, to cash from sale of merchandise, town farm,	20 15
Feb. 15, to cash from breaking roads acct., town farm,	24 15
Feb. 16, to cash from sale of cream, town farm,	17 84
Feb. 16, to cash from Frank Andrews, to balance note in full,	10 62
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	\$19,851 82.

CR.

June 17, by paid express on money,	\$ 28
July 1, by paid Sarah A. Coburn, State pension,	12 00
July 1, by paid Michael Luoney, State pension,	12 00
July 18, by paid for postage and supplies,	3 00
Oct. 29, by paid P. Hodge, pension,	18 00
Nov. 1, by paid State dog licenses,	112 00
Nov. 1, by paid Michael Luoney, State pension,	6 00
Nov. 1, by paid Sarah A. Coburn, State pension,	6 00
Nov. 2, by paid express on money to R. N. Bank,	40
Nov. 27, by paid R. N. Bank, amount of money, loan and interest,	1,025 00
Nov. 27, by paid County tax, 1910.	544 58
Jan. 3, by paid P. Hodge, State pension,	6 00
Jan. 10, by paid Sarah A. Coburn, State pension,	6 00
Jan. 13, by paid State tax,	1,057 14
Jan. 15, by paid Michael Luoney, State pension,	6 00

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Jan. 15, by refunded dog tax,	84 35
Jan. 15, by interest paid on bonds to W. H. Moulton,	3 33
Feb. 1, by paid interest on bonds to Sarah Ricker,	1 67
Feb. 16, by balance due on 1905 and 1906 taxes,	53 98
Feb. 16, by balance due on non-resident tax deeds,	119 59
Feb. 16, by balance due resident tax deeds,	289 23
Feb. 16, by paid town orders,	9,000 16
Feb. 16, by balance in R. N. Bank,	1,000 72
Feb. 16, by balance in First National Bank,	1,023 13
Feb. 16, by paid coupons on bonds,	403 87
Feb. 16, by paid bonds,	3,400 00
Feb. 16, by balance due on 1907 taxes,	14 40
Feb. 16, by balance due on taxes of 1908,	37 68
Feb. 16th, by balance due on taxes of 1909,	139 98
Feb. 16, by cash in hands of treasurer,	465 33
Feb. 16, by 11 shares of West End R. R. Stock,	1,000 00
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	\$19,851 82

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. WADLIN, Treasurer.

Report of Superintendent of Schools.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

COMMON SCHOOLS ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance, 1909,	\$ 510 77	
Appropriation,	1,600 00	
State funds,	1,256 69	
Received from sale of sleds,	6 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,373 46

CR.

By teachers' salaries,	\$1,813 50	
By janitors,	218 60	
By conveyance,	679 75	
Fuel,	238 80	
	<hr/>	\$2,950 65
By balance 1910,		422 81
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		\$3,373 46

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TEXT BOOK ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance,	\$105 15
To appropriation,	200 00
To credit memo.,	9 36

 \$314 51

CR.

By orders,	\$299 77
To balance, 1910,	14 74

 \$314 51

REPAIRS ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance, 1909,	\$ 50 35
To sale of schoolhouse,	15 00
To rent of school grounds,	4 00
To appropriation,	250 00
To shingles sold,	2 75

 \$322 10

CR.

By orders drawn,	\$316 48
By balance, 1910,	5 62

 \$322 10

NEW BUILDINGS (ROOM) ACCOUNT.

DR.

Appropriation,	\$400 00
Overdraft,	16 22

 \$416 22

CR.

Orders,	\$416 22
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 \$416 22

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SUPPLIES ACCOUNT.

DR.

Balance,	\$ 6 04
Appropriation,	50 00

\$56 04

CR.

Orders,	\$55 31
Balance,	73

\$56 04

INSURANCE ACCOUNT.

DR.

To appropriation,	\$100 00
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CR.

By order,	\$93 00
By balance,	7 00

\$100 00

HIGH SCHOOL.

DR.

Balance, 1909,	\$147 89
Appropriation,	300 00
State fund,	250 00
Tuition,	37 81

\$735 70

CR.

Orders,	\$636 32
Balance, 1910,	99 38

\$735 70

To the Superintending School Committee and citizens of Canton:—

In view of the fact that my work in the district, terminated but a short time before the close of the fiscal year in town affairs, it seemed best for me to report the work of the schools and the financial standing, I therefore submit the following statement:

The taxpayers of the town met in a most generous spirit, the request of the committee for an appropriation to finish and equip an additional room. That work was done in a very satisfactory manner at a cost but slightly in excess of the estimate of your committee. The result is a room of which the town has a reason to be proud. Some further repairs were made including the shingling of the Gilbertville house and refitting the intermediate room with desks. The fire box of the boiler was very small and the grate so arranged that the fire could not be handled without difficulty and waste of fuel. The fire box has been enlarged to nearly double the former area and a modern grate installed.

In accordance with the wish of many, a ninth grade was added to the common school course. The subjects studied have been for the most part reviews of the earlier work of the grades.

The increase in the teaching force and in the length of the school course, has had some manifest results. Though far too early either to praise unduly, or to criticise severely, I have noticed in particular, the increased length of recitation periods, permitting more general and individual help, the opportunity for the teacher to bring in illustrative material other than the text book itself affords, and time to present properly, the lesson to be studied,—in a word to bring the class room work into line with methods used in the better school systems of the State. I noticed that for a time the change in method and arrangement of work

made it seem harder for the pupils, but I am convinced that that difficulty is being rapidly overcome.

The teachers throughout the town have worked hard for the success of their schools, and on the whole I have been well satisfied with the results.

In order to equalize the school privileges of children of the town, by giving them the advantage of trained and experienced teachers and well equipped rooms, the schools at Pine Woods and Carver, were closed and the pupils conveyed to the village. For the purpose of conveying the pupils, two wagon bodies with covered tops were built. These are substantial and well built and should last a long time with reasonable care. They have served the purpose admirably. Almost no criticism or objection has come to me relative to the means of conveyance or the work of the pupils in school. I know by comparison, that the conditions which the pupils have been under this year have been far more favorable to educational progress than they were hitherto.

The High School demands your consideration. The school is placed under the new law in "class B." This means that the school does a standard grade of work for two years; that after the second year the town must pay the tuition of students who attend an improved school of "class A." I believe that this is a satisfactory arrangement for the town, as it receives from the State two-thirds the amount actually expended, up to \$500. What I wish to call attention to is the small number of young men and women who are availing themselves of the privilege offered by the high school. Parents are certainly not awake to the best interests of their sons and daughters if they allow them to lose the training afforded by even two years of high school work. Children's whims and fancies should not turn parents aside from insisting that their education be obtained at all cost. For this is an age of educated and trained men and women. The higher or more specialized

the training, the greater the opportunity. Parents should think soberly, before allowing a boy or girl to leave the high school course unfinished.

The financial matters need a word of explanation. As already noted, there is a slight overdraft in the new room account. The few who have taken pains to see the room have expressed themselves well pleased with the work of your committee. An overdraft appears in the repair account. This was due, perhaps, to the change in the furnace which cost somewhat more than the committee anticipated. I found it necessary to replace a number of old text books, as well as furnish others for the ninth grade. This has left but a small balance. The schools are still in need of much in the way of supplementary material.

In closing, I wish to express my appreciation of the cordial attitude of the citizens of Canton toward my work in your schools. I have found you responsive to the best and generous towards your schools, and I trust that my successor will meet the same hearty co-operation that has been my privilege to enjoy.

Very respectfully,

JOSIAH W. TAYLOR.

MARRIAGES, 1909-1910, CANTON, ME.

- In Canton, Maine, April 17th, by Rev. E. W. Webber, Arthur A. Eastman of Mexico, age 29, and Minnie V. Burnham of Canton, age 23.
- In Canton, Maine, May 18th, by Rev. Bernard Christopher, Marshall H. Babb, age 20, and Daisy M. Conant, age 18, both of Peru.
- In Canton, Maine, May 21st, by Rev. Bernard Christopher, Leon Foster Rich, age 21 and Mrs. Daisy Belle Dailley, age 24, both of Canton.
- In Canton, Maine, May 26th, by Rev. E. W. Webber, Cleon B. Record of Buckfield, age 19, and Lucy L. Newman of Buckfield, age 20.
- In Hartford, Maine, Aug. 18th, by Rev. S. C. Eaton, Clarence Standish Alley of Hartford, Me., age 27, and Bernice Mary Stubbs of Canton, age 22.
- In Canton, Maine, Sept. 11th, by Charles H. Gilbert, Justice of the Peace, Clinton R. Smith, age 28, and Mrs. Verna Smith, age 24, both of Canton.
- In Dixfield, Maine, Feb. 12th, 1910, by Rev. Wm. E. Gaskin, William L. Andrew of Dixfield, age 23, and Lillie B. Rose of Canton, Me., age 21.

DEATHS IN CANTON, MAINE, 1909-1910.

- Feb. 6th, Andrew R. Dorr, died in Lewiston, Me., age 63 years, 1 day, birthplace Canton, Me.
- Feb. 23rd, Isaac A. Tobin, died in South Paris, Me., age 65 years, birthplace Hartford, Me.
- March 14th, A. Lincoln Hodge, died in Canton, Me., age 49 years, 11 days, birthplace Canton, Me.
- March 14th, Francelia A. Smith, died in Canton, Me., age 62 years, 10 months, 4 days, birthplace Cumberland Mills, Me.
- March 24th, Mrs. Cornelia H. Ripley, died in Lewiston, Me., age 69 years, 5 months, 4 days, birthplace Canton, Me.

- March 29th, Francis M. Dority, died in Canton, Me., age 43 years, 4 months, 14 days, birthplace Milan, N. H.
- April 5th, Hannah B. Barker, died in Hartford, Me., age 71 years, 10 months, 21 days, birthplace Canton, Me.
- April 6th, infant child of Louis Chamberlain, 1 day old, birthplace Canton, Me.
- May 4th, Mary E. Moore, died in Canton, Me., age 63 years, 6 months, 26 days, birthplace Canton, Me.
- May 16th, Charles Thompson, died in Canton, Me., age 85 years, 6 months, 18 days, birthplace Tamworth, N. H.
- May 30th, Adelbert Delano, died in Canton, Me., age 60 years, 3 months, 30 days, birthplace Dixfield, Me.
- June 7th, William C. Bartlett, died in Canton, Me., age 59 years, 13 days, birthplace Buckfield, Me.
- June 20th, Sadie J. Smith, died in Lewiston, Me., age 38 years, 1 month, birthplace Canton, Me.
- June 23rd, Laura S. Sturtevant, died in Canton, Me., age 80 years, 20 days, birthplace Bethel, Me.
- July 12th, Sarah W. Simmons, died in Canton, Me., age 88 years, 1 month, 28 days, birthplace Auburn, Me.
- July 25th, Clark Burke, died in Canton, Me., age 63 years, 15 days, birthplace Dummer, N. H.
- Aug. 7th, Althea A. Quimby, died in Augusta, Me., age 37 years, birthplace Sumner, Me.
- Aug. 17th, Alpheus Packard, died in Canton, Me., age 76 years, 9 months, 5 days, birthplace Wareham, Mass.
- Jan. 25th, 1910, Lawrence L. Chamberlain, died in Canton, Me., age 2 years, 4 months, 1 day, birthplace Bethel, Me.
- Feb. 11th, 1910, Victor Small, died in Canton, Me., age 1 year, 10 months, 8 days.

BIRTHS IN THE TOWN OF CANTON 1909-1910.

Feb. 17th, to the wife of Amos A. Alden, a daughter, 5th child.

March 3rd, to the wife of Bernard Patterson, a son, 4th child.

March 5th, to the wife of Gordon Dymont, a son, 5th child.

March 19th, to the wife of Frank Leslie Walker, twins, son and daughter, 3rd and 4th.

April 5th, to the wife of Louis Chamberlain, a son, 3rd child.

May 2nd, to the wife of Ernest E. Dyke, a son, 2nd child.

May 7th, to the wife of William L. Sampson, a son, 1st child.

June 5th, to the wife of Victor F. Hodsdon, a son, 3rd child.

June 9th, to the wife of Simeon B. Ellis, a son, 3rd child.

July 2nd, to the wife of Cecel S. York, a son, 5th child.

July 3rd, to the wife of Leroy A. Cone, a daughter, 1st child.

July 5th, to the wife of Charles F. Cone, a daughter, 1st child.

July 7th, to the wife of Ellis Delano, a son, 2nd child.

July 22nd, to the wife of Harold Hodge, a daughter, 1st child.

Aug. 6th, to the wife of Fred C. Bartlett, a daughter, 3rd child.

Aug. 6th, to the wife of Charles L. Hines, a son, 10th child.

Sept. 25th, to the wife of Perley A. Foster, a daughter, 1st child.

Oct. 24th, to the wife of Charles R. Ellis, a daughter, 3rd child.

Dec. 1st, to the wife of Michele Onofrio, a daughter, 3rd child.

Dec. 6th, to the wife of Charles R. Swett, a son, 2nd child.

Dec. 16th, to the wife of Ezra S. Chamberlain, a daughter,
5th child.

Dec. 28th, to the wife of Francisco Romano, a son, 1st child.
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Jan. 1st, to the wife of Bertie Brigham, a daughter, 2nd
child.

Jan. 13, to the wife of Albine Arsenault, a son, 2nd child.

Jan. 25th, to the wife of Ora D. Dodge, a son, 8th child.

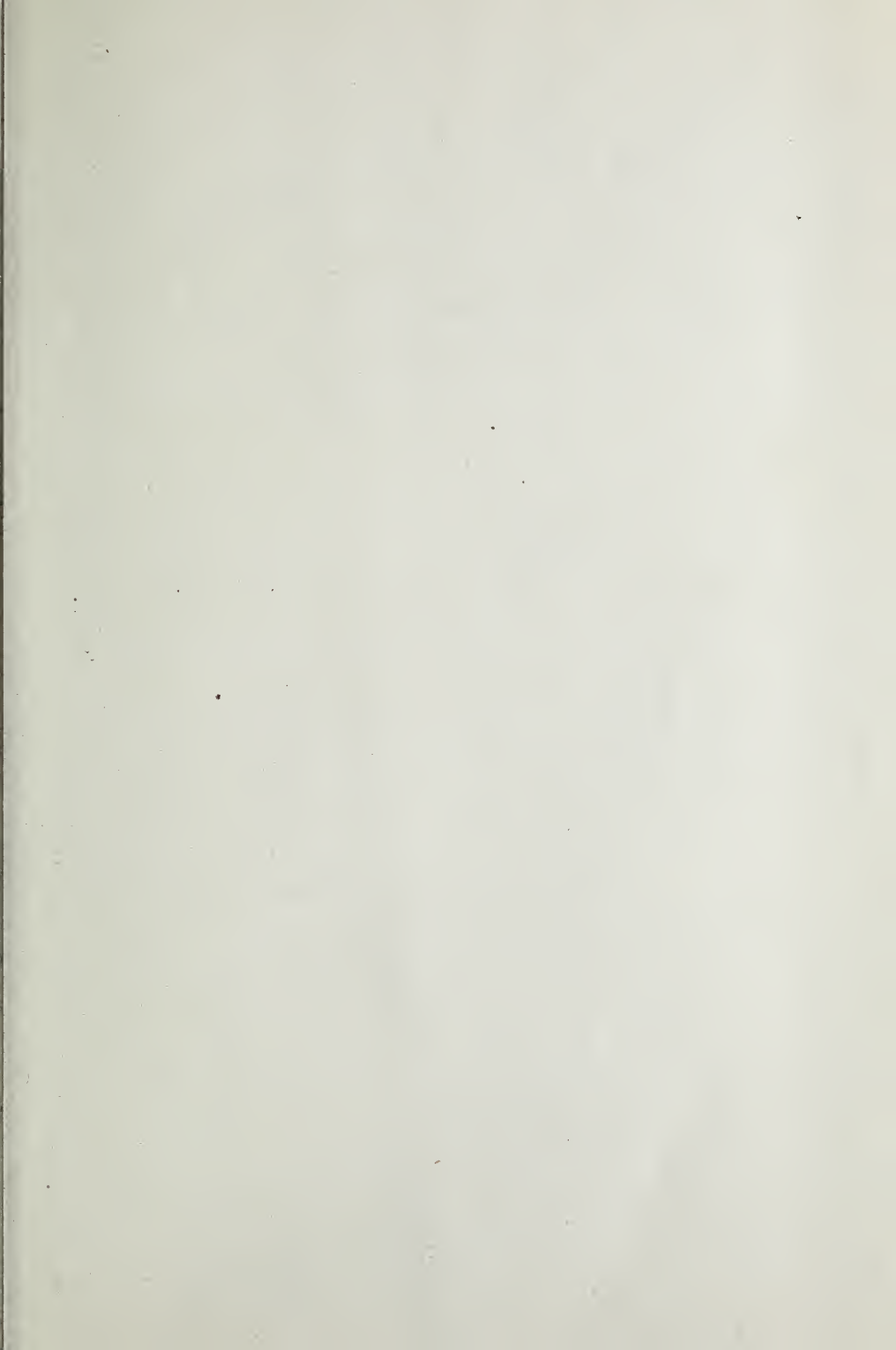
Jan. 29th, to the wife of Lorenzo Lavorgna, a son, 2nd
child.

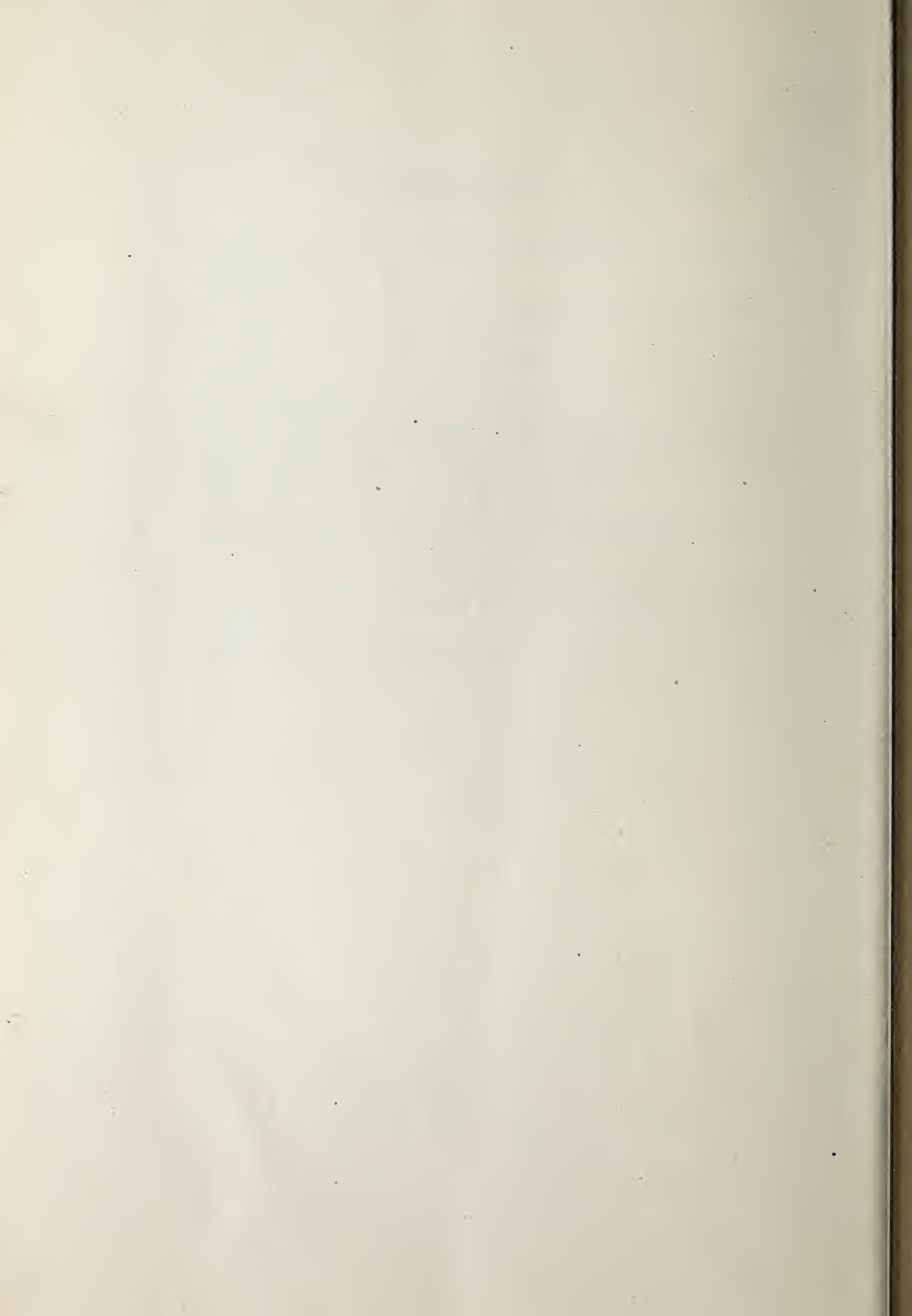
Jan. 30th, to the wife of Edwin G. Small, a daughter, 5th
child.

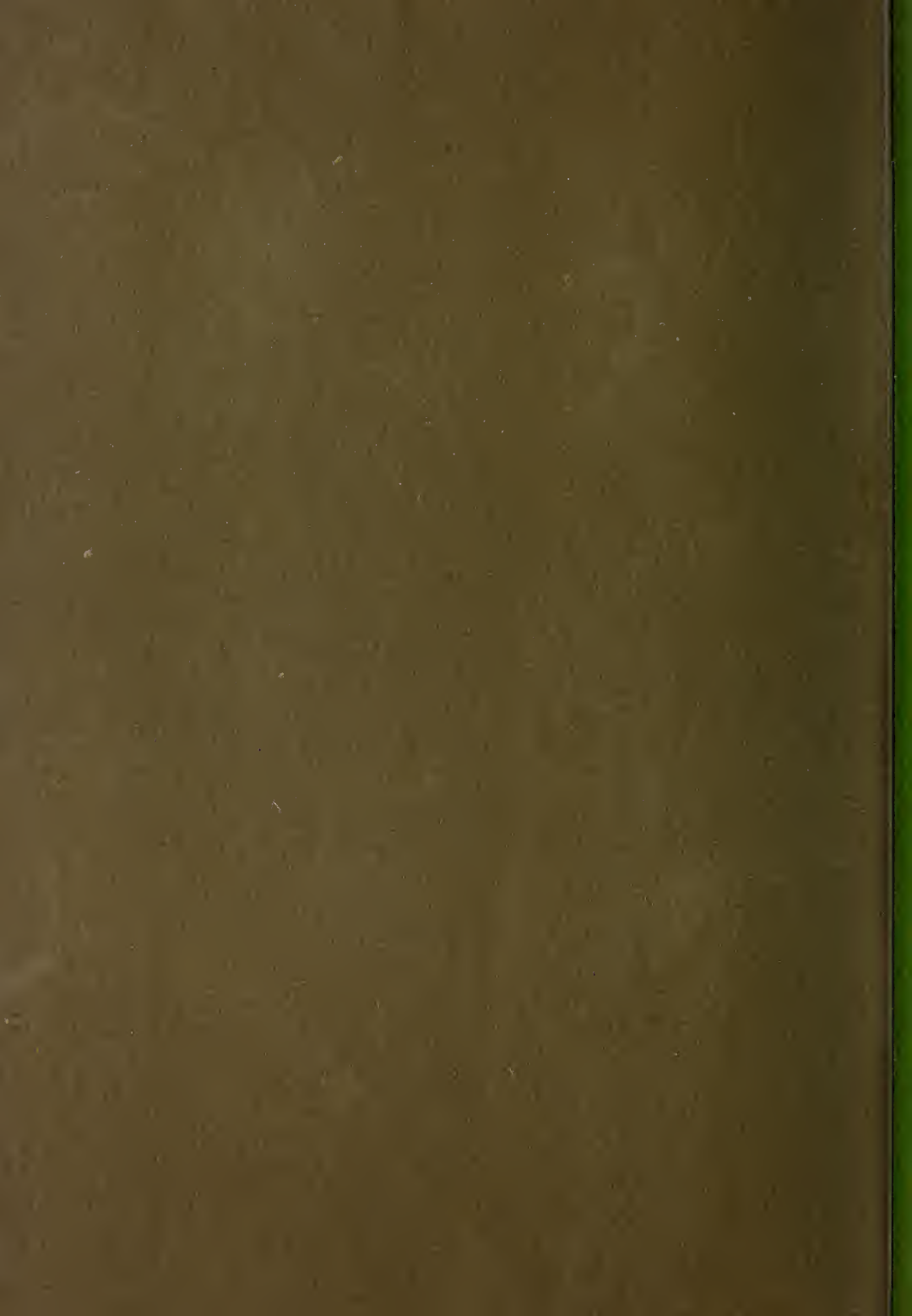
Jan. 31st, to the wife of Charles F. Tripp, a son, 6th child.

Feb. 5th, to the wife of Louis Fountain, a daughter, 10th
child.

Feb. 14th, to the wife of Thomas Gallant, a son, 4th child.









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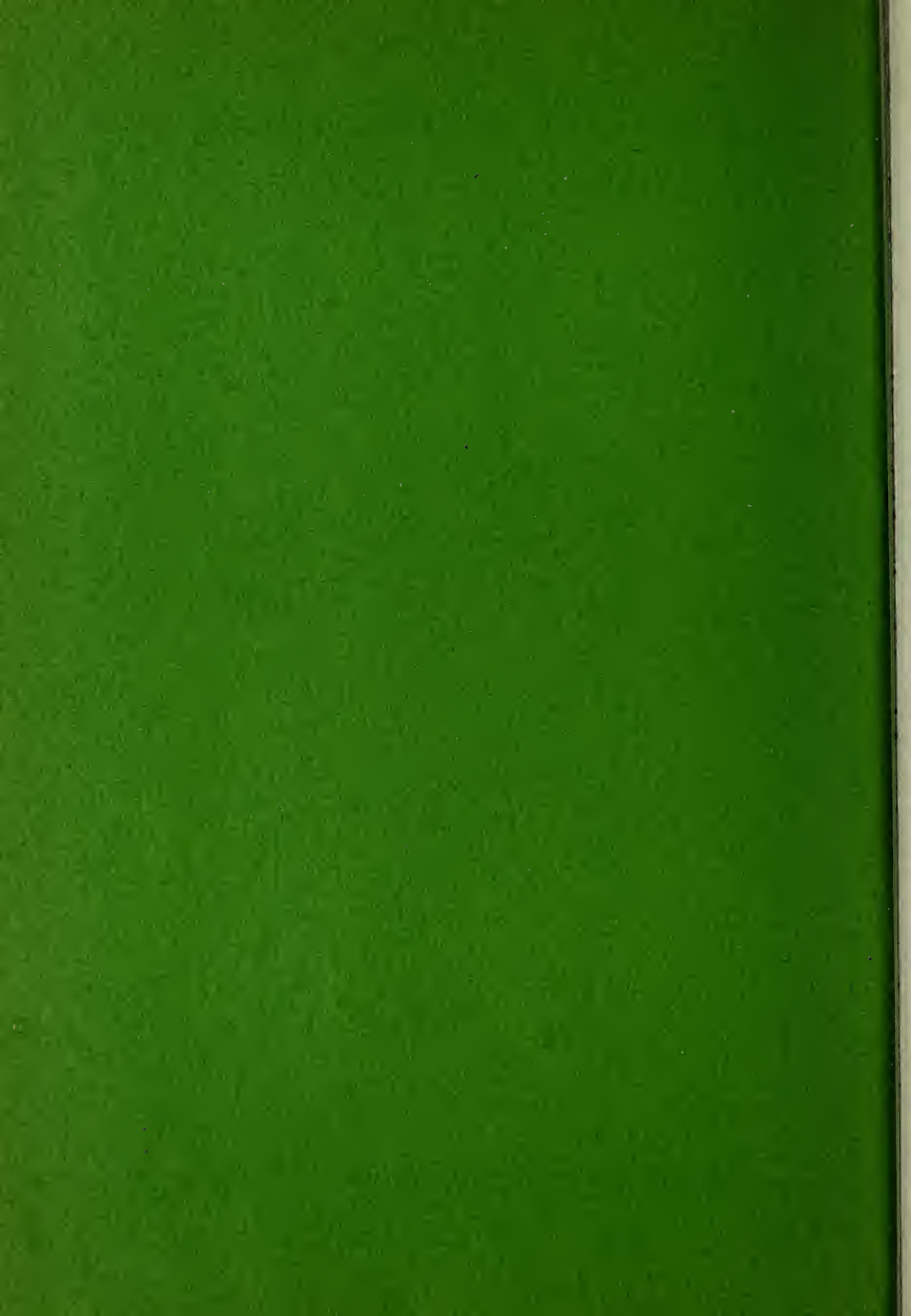
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TOWN OFFICERS.

Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of the Poor,

M. A. WAITE, S. B. ELLIS, ELLIS DELANO.

Treasurer and Clerk.

GEO. L. WADLIN.

Collector,

JOHN BRIGGS.

School Committee,

J. H. DAILEY, F. W. MORSE, GEO. L. WADLIN.

Superintendent of Schools,

W. B. WOODBURY.

Board of Health,

W. L. ROBERTS, JOHN BRIGGS, JOHN N. FOYE.

Report of Selectmen.

VALUATION OF REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE AND NUMBER OF POLLS.

Real estate, resident,	\$172,695 00
Real estate, non-resident,	62,555 00
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Total real estate,	\$235,250 00
Personal estate, resident,	\$73,115 00
Personal estate, non-resident,	2,565 00
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Total,	\$75,680 00
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Total property to be taxed,	\$310,930 00
Number of polls taxed 300.	
Number of polls not taxed, 23.	
Poll tax \$3.00. Rate of taxation .034.	

APPROPRIATED AND ASSESSED.

State tax,	\$1,759 81
County tax,	544 58
Common schools,	1,200 00
Text books and supplies,	250 00
Repairs and insurance,	375 00
Town charges and interest,	5,000 00
Repairs of roads and bridges,	1,000 00

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Breaking roads,	500 00
Free High School,	200 00
Memorial Day,	15 00
Repair of sidewalks,	25 00
State road,	200 00
Fire company,	25 00
Monument,	300 00
Supplementary tax,	11 10
Overlay apportioned.,	77 23

Total commitment to collector,	\$11,482 72
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RECEIPTS OF TOWN FARM.

S. T. HAYDEN, OVERSEER.

Received for cream,	\$387 31.
Calves sold,	39 09
Eggs, potatoes, hens, syrup,	35 05
Pigs sold,	27 00
Apples sold,	104 41
Sweet corn sold,	151 10
Wool sold,	3 96
Lambs sold,	10 00
Breaking roads,	16 52
Labor on highway,	1 60
2 cows sold,	47 30
Bull service, hens and vinegar,	7 50
Vinegar,	7 00

\$837 84

AMOUNT EXPENDED.

N. Reynolds, supplies,	\$ 2 06
C. B. Heald, cow,	42 00
W. F. Mitchell, cows,	115 00
M. A. Waite, horse,	80 00
W. E. Hedges, sawing lumber,	1 50
M. G. Strout, supplies,	8 42
Geo. L. Wadlin Co., supplies,	8 37
C. L. Worden,	10 86
F. H. & C. C. Plummer, insurance,	9 70
S. T. Hayden, supplies,	17 98
N. Reynolds, supplies,	8 04
S. T. Hayden, threshing grain,	4 70
E. A. Dunn, cutting corn,	6 00
M. A. Waite, mowing machine repairs,	3 87
M. A. Waite, cash for bull,	25 00
M. A. Waite, fertilizer,	34 10
M. A. Waite, pasturing cows,	6 00
J. S. Barker, supplies,	56 92
M. A. Waite, boot between cows,	5 00
C. F. Oldham, shingles,	13 75
J. K. Forhan, supplies,	1 80
G. F. Bicknell, horse shoeing,	2 90
Geo. L. Wadlin & Co.,	21 27
A. F. & A. A. Russell,	195 09
S. B. Ellis, supplies,	40 92
S. T. Hayden, overseer,	275 00
S. T. Hayden,	2 55
C. L. Worden,	12 13

\$1,010 93

TOWN FARM ACCOUNT.

8 cows,	\$325 00
1 three-year-old,	25 00
1 bull	30 00
One-year-old	10 00
2 sheep,	15 00
1 sow,	25 00
1 pig,	10 00
1 horse,	80 00
44 hens,	30 00
20 tons of hay,	200 00
Straw,	5 00
300 pounds salt pork,	33 00
30 pounds of lard,	3 60
Groceries,	5 00
One and one half barrel flour,	8 25
20 bushels potatoes,	8 00
40 bushels corn,	22 00
60 bushels oats,	27 00
2 barrels apples,	4 00
2 bushels beans,	5 00
3 M shingles,	8 55
1 M lumber,	15 00
5 barrels,	1 50
Cream separator,	45 00
Household furniture,	120 00
Farming tools,	250 00
10 cords wood,	30 00
100 sap buckets,	10 00
3 barrels vinegar,	22 50

\$1,383 40

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Farm,		\$1,800 00
Total value of farm, stock, household goods,		
and farming tools,		<hr/> \$3,183 40
Total value of farm, stock, household goods,		
and farming tools, 1910,		<hr/> \$2,830 50
Increase,		\$352 90
Amount expended,	\$1,010 93	
Receipts,	837 84	
	<hr/>	\$173 09
Balance in favor of farm,		<hr/> \$179 81
Inmate, Myrtle Burnham.		

PAID FOR SUPPORT OF POOR OFF OF FARM.

J. B. Crocker,	\$9 33	
Frank Bryant,	47 50	
Myrtle Burnham,	5 84	
Joseph Libree,	19 75	
Mrs. Geo. Barrett,	19 02	
Mrs. J. O. Gammon,	173 00	
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Total,		\$274 44
Received from town of Livermore, acct. of		
J. B. Crocker,		\$9 33
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Total pauper expense,		\$265 11

SNOW BILLS.

II E. Hall,	\$33 50
C. L. Hines,	4 37
A. F. Campbell,	40 00
H. P. Cook,	2 20
F. H. Stone,	17 70
A. W. Ferrend,	3 00
Peter Castongnay,	17 80
E. E. Drake,	3 00
B. D. Packard,	6 70
E. I. Waite,	41 10
R. E. McCollister,	36 00
P. A. Foster,	6 95
C. B. Foster,	9 12
C. B. Gammon,	70
W. W. Rose,	8 60
W. G. Wagner,	.40
W. H. Bailey,	12 00
W. M. Andrews,	2 33
A. A. Eastman,	35 50
I. A. Ellis,	4 25
Lyman Ellis,	2 25
L. D. Small,	3 25
Herman Tirrell,	1 00
F. H. Stone,	4 80
A. A. Glines,	10 00
C. F. Oldham, repairs on roller,	85 73
A. G. Rich,	7 60
R. E. McCollister,	14 20
Ellis Delano,	20 75
E. I. Waite,	27 05
I. J. Lathrope,	4 50
James Kane,	18 25
A. F. Campbell,	44 20
F. H. Lovewell,	30 45

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E. E. Fuller,	28 00
C. W. Walker,	35 80
H. A. Wentworth,	2 27
S. T. Hayden,	16 52
Chas. Briggs,	52
W. E. Hutchinson,	35 00
Lyman Ellis,	3 00

 Total,

\$680 36

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT.

Chas. York,	\$1 00
Linwood Darrington,	6 56
Harris Jones,	6 56
Wm. Knapp,	3 50
E. E. Fuller,	8 00
Elmer Dailey,	3 50
W. E. Hutchinson,	12 00
Eldon Bisbee,	15 00
H. E. Hall,	15 00
Chas. York,	2 06
Will Ellis,	7 87
E. I. Waite,	12 00
S. A. Child,	6 56
Merl Hodge,	7 87
Walter Hodge,	7 87
Ellis Delano	20 00
L. D. Small,	8 00
L. D. Small,	41 38
E. E. Dailey,	22 75
Geo. L. Wadlin & Co.,	9 01
John Nickols,	1 50
Geo. L. Wadlin,	19 28
L. D. Small,	2 50
Geo. Smith,	3 50.

A. F. Campbell,	19 20
A. F. Campbell,	21 00
I. L. Hammond,	7 00
Robain Arsenault,	21 58
E. E. Dailey,	19 25
S. B. Ellis,	10 00
A. G. Rich,	36 28
Peter Castongnay,	49 75
L. D. Small,	2 00
W. E. Hutchinson,	4 00
M. A. Waite,	8 83
M. A. Waite,	10 00
A. A. Eastman,	10 33
A. G. Rich,	15 00
F. H. Stone,	7 00
W W. Rose,	3 35
A. A. Alden,	3 00
C. F. Oldham,	37 79
A. G. Rich,	16 42
A. W. Ferrend,	2 62
Selden Dailey,	2 00
C. G. Rich,	10 00
Donato Filenanto,	21 00
Martino Yanatto,	21 00
Eddie Small,	22 75
Salvatoni Lavorgna,	21 00
Selden Dailey,	2 00
W. L. Parks,	2 00
Ellis Delano,	35 00
Fred Spiller,	5 00
C. L. Hines,	1 75
Ellis Delano,	10 00
L. D. Small,	25 00
E. I. Waite,	16 00
Geo. Smith,	8 75

L. D. Small,	84 50
Geo. E. Carver,	9 26
A. J. Dailey,	3 00
Merl Hodge,	1 75
Eddie Small,	1 75
S. T. Hayden,	1 60
Ellis Delano,	35 75
C. L. Hines,	2 62
W. W. Rose,	1 99
B. W. Jackson,	50
C. B. Gammon,	87
A. H. Adams,	18 00
F. R. Hines,	7 00
F. H. Stone,	48 00
Ernest Bryant,	5 25
E. B. Hines,	2 10
Eddie Small,	14 00
F. R. Hines,	87
L. D. Small,	60 25
S. M. & C. B. Foster,	10 50
Ellis Delano,	25 00
Donato Fenmonta,	12 00
Filippo Battagino,	12 00
A. F. Campbell,	21 00
I. Isaacson,	23 40
A. L. Hodge,	1 31
C. L. Hines,	10 18
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Total,	\$1,165 34

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriated,	\$1,000 00	
Balance unexpended 1909,	46 62	
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Amount available,		\$1,046 62
Orders drawn,	\$1,165 34	
Lumber for bridge on hand,	31 42	
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		\$1,133 92
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Overdrawn,		\$87 30

SIDEWALK ACCOUNT.

Appropriated,	\$25 00	
Bal. unexpended 1909,	12 52	
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Amount available,		\$37 52
Orders drawn,		8 00
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Bal. unexpended,		\$29 52

STATE ROAD.

Appropriated,	\$200 00	
Received from State,	200 00	
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Amount available,		\$400 00
Orders drawn,		400 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriated,	\$25 00	
Bal. unexpended 1909,	6 95	
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Amount available,		\$31 95
Orders drawn,		10 37
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Balance unexpended,		\$21 58

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SNOW BILLS.

Appropriated,	\$500 00	
Overdrawn 1909,	125 35	
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Amount available,		\$374 65
Orders drawn,		680 36
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Overdrawn,		\$305 71

COMMON SCHOOLS.

Appropriated,	\$1,200 00	
Balance unexpended, 1909,	422 81	
State and mill tax,	2,041 54	
Interest on school fund,	61 28	
Tuition,	28 50	
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Amount available,		\$3,754 13
Orders drawn,		\$2,952 54
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Balance unexpended,		\$801 59

TEXT BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Appropriated,	\$250 00	
Balance unexpended, 1909,	15 47	
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Amount available,		\$265 47
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Orders drawn,		257 17
Balance unexpended,		\$8 30

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE.

Appropriated,	\$375 00	
Balance unexpended, 1909,	12 62	
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Amount available,		\$387 62
Orders drawn,		322 31
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Balance unexpended,		\$65 31

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.

Appropriated,	200 00	
Balance undrawn,	99 38	
Tuition,	65 00	
State aid,	436 32	
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Amount available,		\$800 70
Orders drawn,		\$746 16
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Balance undrawn,		\$54 54

MONUMENT.

Appropriated,	\$300 00
Orders drawn,	300 00

AMOUNT DUE ON 1906 BILLS.

Arsenault, Pat,	\$ 3 00	
Nally, W. J.,	3 00	
Ladd, E. P., Estate of,	4 20	
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Total,		\$10 20

AMOUNT DUE ON BILLS OF 1908.**A. F. RUSSELL, COLLECTOR.**

Arsenault, Pat,	\$3 00	
Brown, W. J.,	3 00	
Griffin, Thomas,	3 00	
York, Greenville,	3 00	
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Total,		\$12 00

AMOUNT DUE ON BILLS OF 1909.**JOHN BRIGGS, COLLECTOR.**

Nally, W. J.,	\$3 00	
Wright, W. J.,	3 00	
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Total,		\$6 00

AMOUNT DUE ON BILLS OF 1910.

Beals, Heber,	\$ 3 00	
Galant, Phelix,	5 10	
Harris, John,	5 55	
Ludden, A. L.,	3 00	
Lane, C. B.,	3 00	
Park, F. E.,	3 00	
Richardson, Frank,	3 00	
Russell, Aud,	8 10	
Tompkins, H.,	3 00	
York, C. S.,	3 00	
White, Mack,	3 00	
York, Charles,	3 00	
Gilbert, Mary,	129 20	
Alden, Charles,	21 53	
Barker, Zada,	15 98	
Kane, James F.,	40 12	
Thompson, R. H.,	20 40	
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Total,		\$274 68

Of the above list of unpaid taxes, the following have been sued.

Gilbert, Mary,	\$129 20	
Alden, Charles,	21 53	
Barker, Zada,	15 98	
Kane, James F.,	40 12	
Thompson, R. H.,	20 40	
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Total,		\$227 23

ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1905.

Dulpe, Peter, left State,	\$3 00	
Bassett, W., paid in Peru,	3 00	
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Total,		\$6 00

ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1906.

Burnham, H. R., paid in Jay,	\$3 00	
Barker, Belmont, illegal,	8 78	
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Total,		\$11 78

ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1908.

Niles, Silas,	3 20	
Poland, Ellery, E.,	3 00	
Legere, Frank, in Canada,	3 00	
Johnson, J. M.,	3 68	
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Total,		\$12 88

ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1909.**JOHN BRIGGS, COLLECTOR.**

Fuller, Ralph, left State,	\$3 00
Matthews, Charles,	1 00

\$4 00

ABATEMENTS ON BILLS OF 1910.**JOHN BRIGGS, COLLECTOR.**

Crocker, J. B., poor,	\$5 55
Dugin, Alec, in Canada,	3 00
Hines, Rolla, poor,	3 00
Hayden, S. T., on horse and cow,	2 04
Hodgdon, Victor, paid in Mexico,	8 10
Matthews, Charles,	3 68
Murry, Jack, illegal,	3 00
Willie, R. D., poor,	3 00
Italian, not of age,	3 00

Total,	\$34 37
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MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT.

E. H. Johnson, trustee school fund,	\$ 5 00
A. J. Foster, trustee school fund, as clerk,	5 00
A. K. Foster, trustee school fund,	5 00
N Reynolds, supplies,	4 50
D. W. Kimball, reporting marriages,	25
M. A. Waite, moth notices,	3 70
E. K. Hollis, use hall, March meeting,	10 00
O. M. Richardson, Fire Co.,	10 37
G. W. Moore, Memorial Day,	15 00
C. F. Tripp, clerk school fund,	4 00
E. C. Bowler, printing town reports,	22 80

Canton Toll Bridge Co., toll for high school,	25 00
John Gammon, cleaning lock-up,	1 90
E. K. Hollis, use of hall, Sept. election,	5 00
C. D. North, births and deaths,	4 25
J. A. Reynolds, ballot clerk,	1 50
C. C. Ellis, care Wardwell lot,	4 00
L. W. Smith Co., vote of town,	7 31
N. Reynolds, supplies for town,	10 70
S. B. Ellis, expense to Rumford to meet State Assessors,	2 50
P. E. Hinds, ballot clerk,	1 50
J. W. Bicknell, abatement on piano,	3 40
M. A. Waite, expense to Rumford,	4 36
C. F. Tripp, Jr., watchman, July 4,	2 00
C. F. Tripp, Jr., ballot clerk,	1 50
M. A. Waite, brown-tail moth notices,	5 00
B. C. Waite, interest on school fund,	61 28
N. Reynolds, supplies,	2 75
F. W. Morse, births and deaths,	5 00
John Briggs, abatements, 1910,	34 37
John Briggs, abatements, 1909,	4 00
A. F. Russell, abatements, 1908,	12 88
John Briggs, abatement on piano,	3 40
Geo. L. Wadlin, abatement on taxes, 1905-1906,	17 78
Total.	\$307 00

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS.

John N. Foye, truant officer of 1910,	\$ 8 00
F. W. Morse, member of school board,	10 00
Geo. L. Wadlin, member of school board,	10 00
O. C. Evans, superintendent of schools,	57 01
John H. Dailey, member of school board,	10 00
W. B. Woodbury, superintendent,	77 78
A. F. Russell, collector,	60
John Briggs, collector, 1909-1910,	169 83

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Geo. L. Wadlin, clerk and treasurer,	140 00
M. A. Waite,	125 00
S. B. Ellis,	125 00
Ellis Delano,	50 00
Total,	<hr/> \$783 22

LIABILITIES OF TOWN

Interest bearing town order,	\$1,021 33
4 per cent. R. R. Aid Bonds,	2,200 00
3½ per cent loan certificates,	1,825 00
3 per cent. loan certificates,	300 00
Interest on same,	20 00
Bills due and unpaid,	75 00
Unpaid orders,	1,007 96
Total,	<hr/> \$6,449 29

RESOURCES OF TOWN.

Cash in treasury,	\$1,316 12
Resident tax deeds,	191 94
Non-resident tax deeds,	119 59
Amount due on bills, 1906,	10 20
Amount due on bills, 1908,	12 00
Amount due on bills, 1909,	6 00
Amount due on bills, 1910,	274 68
Amount due A. W. Ellis, secured note ,	13 12
Amount due from State, on acct. free high school,	436 32
Due from State, pensions,	84 00
Eleven shares West End R. R. Stock,	1,000 00
Interest on same,	13 00
Due on J. B. Crocker note,	56 00
Due from E. E. Cushman on account of Ralph E. Cushman,	38 00

Town farm, stock, household furniture and farming tools,	3,183 40
Total,	\$6,754 37

The following bonds have been paid:

R. R. Aid Bond, 4 per cent. No. 2,	\$500 00
R. R. Aid Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 3,	500 00
R. R. Aid Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 11,	500 00
R. R. Aid Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 12,	500 00
R. R. Aid Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 13,	200 00
R. R. Aid Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 16,	200 00
R. R. Aid Bonds 4 per cent. No. 17,	200 00
R. R. Aid Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 22,	100 00
R. R. Aid Bonds. 4 per cent. No 23,	100 00
R. R. Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 18,	200 00
R. R. Aid Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 19,	200 00
R. R. Aid Bonds, 4 per cent. No. 24,	100 00
Loan certificate No. 115,	400 00

Total,	\$3,700 00
Total interest bearing indebtedness Feb. 20, 1910,	\$9,046 33
Reduction in interest bearing indebted- ness,	3,700 00

Total interest bearing indebtedness,	\$5,346 33
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STANDING OF THE TOWN, FEB. 20, 1911.

Resources,	\$6,754 37
Liabilities,	\$6,449 20
Resources over liabilities,	\$305 08

Respectfully submitted,

M. A. WAITE,
S. B. ELLIS,
ELLIS DELANO.

Selectmen of Canton.

Report of Treasurer.

DR.

1910.

Feb. 16, to balance in First National Bank, Lewiston,	\$1,023 13
Feb. 16, to balance in Rumford National Bank,	1,000 72
Feb. 6, to balance due on 1905 and 1906 taxes.	53 98
Feb. 16, to balance due on non-resident deeds,	119 59
Feb. 16, to balance due on resident deeds,	289 23
Feb. 16, to balance due on 1907 taxes,	14 40
Feb. 16, to balance due on 1908 taxes,	37 68
Feb. 16, to balance due on 1909 taxes,	139 98
Feb. 16, to cash on hand,	465 33
Feb. 16, to 11 shares of West End R. R. Stock,	1,000 00
March 19, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	8 36
April 1, to S. A. div. on W. E. R. R. Stock,	19 25
April 13, to refunded dog tax,	87 27
April 19, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	8 64
April 19, to commitment of tax for 1910,	11,475 02
April 21, to cash received from error in April cream acct.,	65
April 29, to cash from sale of calf, town farm acct.,	12 09
May 4, to supplementary tax,	4 70
May 16, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	21 26
May 17, to cash from sale of calves, town farm acct.,	18 36

May 26, to cash from sale of book, school acct.,	25
June 2, to cash from sale of calf, town farm acct.,	8 64
June 8, to cash from Stetson, on acct. of tuition,	7 50
June 10, to cash from R. Nat'l. Bank, on note,	1,000 00
June 15, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.	51 32
June 20, to cash from town of Peru, for tuition,	30 00
July 4, to cash from town of Livermore, for tuition,	18 00
July 21, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	60 01
July 27, to cash from license, granted to circus,	2 25
Aug. 20, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	52 91
Sept. 10, to cash from sale of apples, town farm acct.,	1 70
Sept. 17, to cash from town clerk, on acct. dog licenses,	101 00
Sept. 23, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	50 27
Oct. 1, to cash from S. A. div. W. E. R. R. Stock,	19 25
Oct 22, to cash from sale of apples, town farm acct.,	4 30
Oct. 28, to cash from sale of cream town farm acct.,	40 55
Oct. 31, to cash from sale of pig, town farm acct.,	6 00
Nov. 1, to cash from town of Peru, on acct. of tuition,	15 00
Nov. 3, to cash from town of Hartford, on acct. of tuition,	20 00
Nov. 10, to cash from sale of apples, town farm acct.,	13 41
Nov. 10, to cash from sale of sweet corn, town farm account,	151 10
Nov. 15, to cash from sale of pig, town farm acct.,	6 00
Nov. 22, to cash from sale of eggs, potatoes and fowl, town farm acct.,	35 05
Nov. 22, to cash from sale of cider, town farm acct.,	7 00
Nov. 24, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	38 26
Dec. 8, to cash from B. S. Hildreth, for license,	10 00
Dec. 9, to cash from M. Bartone for license,	1 00
Dec. 19, to cash from sale of cow. town farm acct.,	27 30
Dec. 26, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	39 08
1911.	
Jan. 11, to cash from B. C. Ludden, on acct. tuition,	3 00
Jan. 11, to cash from State, on acct. of State road,	200 00

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Jan. 26, to cash from sale of cream, town farm acct.,	16 65
Feb. 2, to cash from State, on acct. of schools,	2,041 54
Feb. 3, to cash from sale of lambs and pig, town farm acct.,	13 00
Feb. 3, to cash from B. C. Waite treasurer, on acct. of school fund,	61 28
Feb. 4, to supplementary tax,	3 00
Feb. 10, to cash from town of Hartford on acct. tuition,	12 50
Feb. 16, to cash from town farm acct. of breaking roads and highway labor,	18 12
Feb. 16, to cash from town of Livermore, on Crocker acct.,	9 33
Feb. 16, to cash from sale of wool, town farm acct.,	3 96
Feb. 16, to cash from bull services, vinegar and hens, town farm acct.,	7 50
Feb. 16, to cash from sale of cow, town farm acct.,	20 00
Feb. 16, to cash from sale of pigs, town farm acct.,	12 00
Feb. 16, to error in commitment of 1910 taxes,	83
Feb. 18, to cash from sale of apples, town farm acct.,	85 00
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	\$20,124 50

1910.

CR.

June 1, by paid for postage,	\$ 1 00
June 2, by paid Michael Luoney, State pension.	9 00
June 2, by paid Sarah A. Coburn, State pension,	6 00
June 10, by paid express on cash from bank,	35
July 16, by paid Michael Luoney, State pension,	9 00
July 16, by paid Sarah A. Coburn, State pension,	6 00
Sept. 1, by paid County tax,	544 58
Sept. 1, by refunded dog tax,	87 27
Sept. 17, by paid dog license to State,	101 00
Oct. 17, by paid for postage and envelopes,	1 00
Nov. 7, by paid Sarah A. Coburn, State pension,	6 00
Nov. 7, by paid Michael Luoney, State pension,	9 00

Dec. 7, note to Rumford Nat'l Bank, interest,	1,025 00
Dec. 26, by paid State tax,	1,632 64
Dec. 28, by paid Pulaski Hodge, State pension,	18 00
1911.	
Jan. 20, by paid Michael Luoney, State pension,	9 00
Jan. 20, by paid Sarah A. Coburn, State pension,	6 00
Jan. 20, by paid Pulaski Hodge, State pension,	6 00
Jan. 20, by paid for stationery and postage,	1 00
Jan. 20, by paid interest on Bond No. 13,	45
Jan. 31, by paid interest on Bonds No. 2-3-11-12,	6 66
Feb. 10, by paid interest on Bonds, No. 16-17-22,	2 20
Feb. 16, by paid interest on Bonds, No. 18-19-24,	1 67
Feb. 18, by abatement on State tax,	127 17
Feb. 18, by amount due on taxes of 1906 ,	10 20
Feb. 18, by amount due on taxes of 1908,	12 00
Feb. 18, by amount due on taxes of 1909,	6 00
Feb. 18, by amount due on taxes of 1910,	274 68
Feb. 18, by balance due on resident deeds,	191 94
Feb. 18, by balance due on non-resident deeds,	119 59
Feb. 18, by paid bond coupons,	316 37
Feb. 18, by paid bonds,	3 700 00
Feb. 18, by amount due on secured note of A. W. Ellis,	13 12
Feb. 18, by balance in First National Bank,	1,011 93
Feb. 18, by balance in Rumford National Bank,	213 92
Feb. 18, by orders paid,	9,028 17
Feb. 18, by 11 shares of West End R. R. Stock,	1,000 00
Feb. 18, by balance due from State on acct. of pensions,	84 00
Feb. 18, by balance due from State on acct. of Free High School,	436 32
Feb. 18, by cash on hand,	90 27
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	\$20,124 50

Report of Superintendent of Schools.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

COMMON SCHOOLS ACCOUNT.

DR.

To balance, 1910,	\$ 422 81	
Appropriation,	1,200 00	
State funds,	2,041 54	
Tuition,	28 50	
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		\$3,692 85
To interest on school fund,		61 28
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		\$3,754 13

CR.

By teachers' salaries,	\$1,808 50	
By janitors,	273 10	
By conveyance,	547 00	
By fuel,	219 15	
By tuition,	104 79	
Balance, 1911,	801 59	
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		\$3,754 13

TEXT BOOK AND SUPPLY ACCOUNT.**DR.**

To balance, 1910,	\$15 47
To appropriation,	250 00

\$265 47

CR.

By orders drawn, text books,	\$164 78
By orders drawn, supplies,	92 39
Balance, 1911,	8 30

\$265 47

REPAIRS AND INSURANCE ACCOUNT.**DR.**

To balance, 1910,	\$ 5 62
Appropriation,	375 00

\$380 62

CR.

By orders drawn, repairs,	\$257 81
By orders drawn, insurance,	64 50
Balance, 1911,	58 31

\$380 62

HIGH SCHOOL ACCOUNT.**DR.**

To balance 1910,	\$99 38
Tuition,	65 00
Appropriation,	200 00
State aid,	436 32

\$800 70

CR.

By principal's salary,	\$698 16
Tuition,	48 00
Balance 1911,	54 54
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	\$800 70

To the Superintending School Committee and citizens of Canton:—

I have the honor to submit the following report, covering the work of your schools since July 1910, and making a few recommendations for the coming year.

We have been fortunate in retaining the majority of our teachers of last year. Our new ones are Miss Marjorie Plant at Gilbertville, Miss Lily Price at the village grammar room, and Mr. F. E. Southard at the high school. They are doing uniformly good work.

The change from a four to a two year course at the high school has necessitated a partial readjustment of the studies there. In making this adjustment the aim has been to emphasize those branches that promise most for the development of useful manhood, at the same time having in mind the desirability of shaping a two-year course so that a graduate from this school may enter the third year class of any standard secondary school. .

There is a good sized freshman class and it is earnestly to be hoped that every member will continue his work next year, and that a fair sized entering class will bring up the attendance to a higher level. Let me urge the parents not to make the greivous mistake, almost invariably regretted when too late, of taking boys and girls out of school just as they are beginning to realize the advantages of a fairly adequate education.

Effort has been made throughout the year, further to interest the community in its schools. Parents have been given individual invitations to visit the classes; interesting

programs appropriate to special days like Longfellow's birthday, have been presented; and a struggle made against the weather to hold citizen-school meetings.

A School Improvement League has been formed in the village intermediate room and, even so soon, has done good work.

Measles, whooping cough and other illnesses have delayed the work in some cases, but the lost time has been, or will be, cheerfully made up.

The need of a printed course of study has become very apparent. To work out an up-to-date course, suited to local needs and possibilities, requires time, but good progress has been made and by the end of the year at least, a type-written course is assured.

Adjustable seats should gradually replace the old ones. This is to make near-sightedness, rounded shoulders and crooked spines less of a menace to our children.

I feel that the parents of our school children are not sufficiently awake to the importance of regular attendance on the part of their children, and I hold the parent much more accountable for an unexcused absence of his child from school, than I do the eight or ten year old youngster.

The attendance is far from being what it ought, and this in spite of exhortation and the use of the truant officer. Looked at from its business standpoint, this means poor returns. It costs as much to maintain a school where the attendance is, say, 85 per cent. of what it ought to be as it does where there is a full attendance, and yet only eighty five one hundredths of the rightful returns can be obtained.

Further, a day's absence means to the pupil not only the loss of that day but a noticeable loss in the next day's work as well, because he comes to that without suitable preparation.

Still further, absence from school is contagious, and where first one and then another is out, the teacher is

very much handicapped in making progress.

For the sake of the individual child, therefore, and for the school as a whole, it is most earnestly to be hoped that every pupil will be at his desk every day unless absolutely unable to do so.

In closing permit me to recommend the following appropriations for the coming year: common schools, \$1,000, text books and supplies, \$250, repairs and insurance, \$275, high school, \$250.

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. Woodbury.

Vital Statistics,

FOR THE YEAR 1910-1911. BIRTHS.

1910

- Feb. 25, to the wife of Rolla Hines, a daughter, 8th child.
Mar. 16, to the wife Mack White, a son, 7th child.
Mar. 21, to the wife of Benj. S. Draper, a daughter, 2nd, child.
Mar. 27, to the wife of Appleton Hodge, a daughter, 3rd, child.
April 4, to the wife of Frank Lovejoy, 2 sons, third and fourth children.
April 30, to the wife of Daniel L. Barker, a daughter, fourth child.
May 6, to the wife of Fred Chamberlain, a son, 3rd, child.
May 16, to the wife of Phelix Glen, a son, 2nd, child.
May 21, to the wife of Elmer H. York, a son, 7th, child.
June 3, to the wife of Peter Castonguay, a daughter, 13th, child.
June 16, to the wife of A. Stanwood Bicknell, a daughter, 5th, child.
June 21, to the wife of Chas. Dillingham, a son and daughter, 6th, and 7th, children.
Sept. 2, to the wife of Henry Teenan, a son, 3rd, child.
Sept. 4, to the wife of Elmer Welch, a son, 4th, child.
Sept. 5, to the wife of F. E. Spafford, a son, 8th, child.

Sept. 27, to the wife of Chas. L. Hines, a daughter, 11th, child.

Sept. 30, to the wife of Ernest Dillingham, a son, 1st, child.

Oct. 1, to the wife of Perley Dyke, a daughter, 4th, child.

Oct. 3, to the wife of Pasquale Mongillo, a daughter, 2nd, child.

Oct. 3, to the wife of Frank O'Brien a son, 1st child.

Nov. 2, to the wife of B. Frank Foster, a son, 1st, child.

Nov. 8, to the wife of Leslie F. Roberts, a son, 2nd, child.

1911.

Jan. 31, to the Wife of Jos. A. Gagnon, a son 2nd child.

MARRIAGES.

1910

In Canton, Me. Mar. 2, by Daniel W. Kimball, Colby Geo. Turner of Minot, age 27, and Dorothy Rossie DeShon of Canton, age 19.

In Chisholm, Me., May 16 by Rev. J. N. Desilets, Alfred Roy of Jay, age 25, and Clara Chicoine of Canton, age 19.

In Livermore Falls, Me., June 4, by Rev. E. W. Webber, Eldon G. Bisbee of Canton, age 24, and Cyrena O. Carter of Hartford, age 19.

In Livermore, Me., June 15, by Rev. J. L. Pinkerton, Ernest M. Freeman, age 20, and Mildred R. Adkins, age 18, both of Canton.

In Livermore Falls, Me., Aug. 8, by Rev. E. W. Webber, Orlestus C. Fuller, age 27, and Edna E. Howard of Peru, age 20.

In Dover, N. H., Sept. 20, Chas. Stuart Reed of Livermore Falls, age 24, and Hattie Fuller Darrington of Canton, age 16, by Rev. A. E. Kenyon.

1911.

In Lewiston, Me. by Rev. E. W. Webber, Alphonso Fulson Russell of Canton, age 22, and Gladys Louise Waite of Canton, age 23.

In Rumford, Me., Jan. 7, by Nathan G. Foster, Chas. Frederick Henry of Canton, age 23, and Ella May Bartlett of Canton, age 16.

In Mexico, Me., by Rev. Harold L. Hanson, Winslow Jefferson Heald of Canton, age 32, and Delia Anna Kidder of Mexico, Me., age 25.

DEATHS.

1910

Feb. 20, Julia E. Ludden, died in Canton, Me., age 68 yrs., 8 mos., 17 days, born in Canton, Maine.

April 4, infant children of Frank Lovejoy, died immediately after birth.

April 4, Medora M. Call, died in Canton, age 51 yrs., 9 mos., 4 days, born in Charleston, Me.

April 10, Alvin L. Ludden, died in Canton, age 69 yrs., 7 mos., 23 days, born in Canton, Me.

April 12, Frank Bryant, died in Canton, age 56 yrs., 5 mos., 28 days, born in Hartford, Me.

April 24, Elvira Mendall, died in Canton, age 81 yrs., 19 days, born in Leeds, Maine.

April 20, Alvira Hayford Bicknell, died in Lewiston, Me., age 80 yrs. 6 mos., 20 days, born in Canton, Me.

April 29, Addie M. Hines, died in Canton, age 39 yrs. 4 days, born in Monmouth, Me.

May 6, Myrtie A. Moore, died in Canton, age 34 yrs., 6 mos., 11 days, born in Livermore, Me.

May 10, Albert Benson Conant, died in Canton, Me., age 78 yrs., 1 mo., 3 days, born in Canton, Me.

May 13, Eliza Moore, died in Canton, Me., age 91 yrs., 4 mos., born in Livermore, Me.

June 28, Rosy Genevieve Castonguay, died in Canton, Me., age 25 days, born in Canton, Me.

June 30, Mary Gammon, died in Canton, Me., age 71 yrs., born in Peru, Me.

- July 29, Hulda J. Manwell, died in Canton, Me., age 69 yrs., 8 mos., born in Massachusetts.
- Sept. 4, Olivia E. Newton, died in Paris, Me., age 77 yrs., born in Canton, Me.
- Sept. 6, C. Columbus Farnum, died in Canton, Me., age 69 yrs., 10 days, born in Mexico, Me.
- Sept. 25, Nellie A. Ludden, died in Canton, Me., age 60 yrs., 1 month, 9 days, born in Livermore, Me.
- Sept. 30, Elizabeth M. Gammon, died in Auburn, Me., age 83 yrs., 5 days, born in Canton, Me.
- Oct. 12, Sarah A. May Labree, died in Mechanic Falls, Me., age 2 mos., 1 day, born in Mechanic Falls, Me.
- Oct. 21, Marshall G. Strout, died in Augusta, Me., age 61 yrs., 8 mos., 13 days, born in Canton, Me.
- Nov. 21, Sarah E. Rose, died in Canton, Me. age 62 yrs. 10 mos., 21 days, born in Canton, Me.
- Dec. 5, Ellen M. Bridges, died in Gardiner, Me., age 63 yrs., born in Oldtown, Me.

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- Jan. 26, Maria R. Baker, died in S. Paris, Me. age 73 yrs., 18 days., born in Westboro, Mass.
- Feb. 8, Amanda M. Ellis, died in Canton, Me., age 89 yrs., 8 mos., 24 days, born in Livermore, Me.
- Feb. 15, Grace P. Wentworth, died in Canton, Me., age 15 yrs, 4 days, born in Quincy, Mass.

Respectfully submitted.

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